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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 109  
By McDaniel

A RESOLUTION to honor Will Duncan on his outstanding  
contributions to Sumner County.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that this General Assembly recognize those individuals who  
through diligence and hard work have contributed significantly to Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, Will Duncan is one such remarkable person, who for 37 years has devoted  
his life to others in his community; and

WHEREAS, Will Duncan exemplifies the spirit and dedication that is characteristic of a  
great Tennessean; and

WHEREAS, having a strong commitment to his faith and to God, Will Duncan has been  
the minister of the Rome Baptist Church in Hendersonville for 21 years; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Duncan serves with distinction as Chairman of the Sumner County  
Board of Education; and

WHEREAS, Will Duncan is an active and vital part of the community, and participates in  
numerous organizations, including his illustrious service as a member of the board of the  
Sumner County CASA for three years and as a board member of the Good Neighbor Mission for  
eight years; and

WHEREAS, because of his profound love and dedication to his community, Will Duncan  
was recently named the "Citizen of the Year" by Gallatin's *News Examiner*; and

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WHEREAS, Will Duncan has served on the advisory committee for the Dede Wallace Center since January 1997; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Duncan also takes time from his busy schedule to serve on Sumner County's Just Say No program; and

WHEREAS, his countless accomplishments aside, Will Duncan is most appreciative of the love he shares with his charming wife of 31 years, Willie; two children and three grandchildren; and

WHEREAS the members of the Tennessee General Assembly find it appropriate to pause in their deliberations to specially recognize one of Tennessee's finest citizens; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE-HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That we hereby honor Will Duncan on his outstanding contributions to Sumner County and to Tennessee.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.